



REC 15-054

Knollwood Energy of MA LLC
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February 4, 2015

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

Dear Ms Howland,

Enclosed please find the application for the Joel Saren system to be part of the Knollwood Energy of MA LLC (NH-II-13-089) Class II Photovoltaic aggregation for New Hampshire Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) generated from customer-sited sources, pursuant to New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Puc 2506.

Customer and Facility Information

Joel Saren
21 Kelley Brook Ln
East Hampstead, NH 03826
603.330.3265
joel@jsaren.com

The Nepool GIS ID # for this facility is: NON46557. Also enclosed are the Simplified Process Interconnection Application and Service Agreement and the Certificate of Completion for Simplified Process Interconnections. An electronic version has been sent to executive.director@puc.nh.gov.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this application.

Thank you for your consideration,

Linda Modica
New England REC Operations Manager
Knollwood Energy of MA LLC
973.879.7826
linda@knollwoodenergy.com

Enclosures (3)



State of New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission

21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord, NH 03301-2429



DRAFT APPLICATION FORM FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY CERTIFICATE (REC) ELIGIBILITY FOR CLASS I AND CLASS II SOURCES WITH A CAPACITY OF 100 KILOWATTS OR LESS

Pursuant to New Hampshire Administrative Code [Puc 2500](#) Rules including Puc 2505.08, Certification of Certain Customer-Sited Sources

- Please submit one (1) original and two (2) paper copies of the completed application and cover letter* to:
Debra A. Howland, Executive Director, New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord, NH 03301-2429
- Send an electronic version of the completed application and the cover letter electronically to
executive.director@puc.nh.gov.
- The cover letter must include complete contact information and identify the renewable energy class for which the applicant seeks eligibility. Pursuant to Puc 2505.01, the Commission is required to render a decision on an application within 45 days of receiving a completed application.

If you have any questions please contact Barbara Bernstein at (603) 271-6011 or Barbara.Bernstein@puc.nh.gov.

- Photovoltaic (PV) solar facilities are Class II resources. Contact Barbara.Bernstein@puc.nh.gov for assistance.

Eligibility Requested for: Class I ☐ Class II ☒ Check here ☒ if this facility part of an aggregation.

If the facility is part of an aggregation, please list the aggregator's name. Knollwood Energy of MA

- Provide the following information for the owner of the PV system.

Applicant Name Joel Saren Email joel@jsaren.com

Address 21 Kelley Brook Ln City East Hampstead State NH Zip 03826

Telephone 603.330.3265 Cell _____

- For business applicants, provide the facility name and contact information (if different than applicant contact information).

Facility Name _____ Primary Contact _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell _____

Email address: _____

- Provide a complete list of the equipment used at the facility, including the revenue grade REC meter, and, if applicable, the inverter. Your facility will not qualify for RECs without a REC meter.

equipment	quantity	Type	equipment	quantity	Type
PV panels	24	LG 280S1C-B3	other		
Inverter	1	Solaredge SE7600A-US	other		
meter	1	Itron Centron	other		

- A copy of the interconnection agreement and the approval to operate your PV system from your electric utility must be included with your application.
- For PSNH customers, both the *Simplified Process Interconnection Application* and *Exhibit B - Certificate of Completion* are required.

What is the nameplate capacity of your facility (found on your interconnection agreement)? 8.35 AC

What was the initial date of operation (the date your utility approved the facility)? 10/14/14

- Provide the name, license number and contact information of the installer, or indicate that the equipment was installed directly by the customer.

Installer
 Name BigSky Renewable Energy LLC Contact Brian Roy License # (if applicable) _____
 Address 4 Bicentennial Sq City Concord State: NH Zip 03301
 Telephone 603.783.5698 email info@bigskyre.com

If the equipment was installed directly by the customer, please check here: ☐

- Provide the name and contact information of the equipment vendor.

☐ X Check here if the installer provided the equipment and proceed to the next question.

Business Name _____ Contact _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone _____ email _____

- If an independent electrician was used, please provide the following information.

Electrician's Name Jordan Hill License # 13342M
 Business Name Hill Electric Email hillelectric@comcast.net

Address PO BOX 545 City Londonderry State NH Zip 03053

- **Provide the name of the independent monitor for this facility.** (A [list](http://www.puc.nh.gov/Sustainable%20Energy/Renewable_Energy_Source_Eligibility.htm) of approved independent monitors is available at http://www.puc.nh.gov/Sustainable%20Energy/Renewable_Energy_Source_Eligibility.htm.)

Independent Monitor's Name Paul Button Energy Audits Unlimited

Is the facility certified under another state's renewable portfolio standard? yes ☐ no ☒
If "yes", then provide proof of the certification as **Attachment C**.

- **Please note, if your facility is part of an aggregation, your aggregator should provide you with the following information.**
- **In order to qualify your facility's electrical production for Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs), you must register with the NEPOOL – GIS. Contact information for the GIS administrator follows:**

James Webb
Registry Administrator, APX Environmental Markets
224 Airport Parkway, Suite 600, San Jose, CA 95110
Office: 408.517.2174 jwebb@apx.com

If you are not part of an aggregation, Mr. Webb will assist you in obtaining a GIS facility code.

GIS Facility Code # NON46557 Asset ID # NON46557

- **Complete an affidavit by the applicant or qualified installer that the project is installed and operating in conformance with any applicable state/local building codes.** Use either the following affidavit form or provide a separate document.
- **The Commission requires a notarized affidavit as part of the application.**

AFFIDAVIT

The Undersigned applicant declares under penalty of perjury that the project is installed and operating in conformance with all applicable building codes. (please see attached)

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Applicant's Printed Name Linda Modica

Subscribed and sworn before me this _____ Day of _____ (month) in the year _____

County of _____ State of _____

Notary Public/Justice of the Peace

My Commission Expires _____

- Complete an affidavit by the applicant or qualified installer that the project is installed and operating in conformance with any applicable state/local building codes. Use either the following affidavit form or provide a separate document.
- The Commission requires a notarized affidavit as part of the application.

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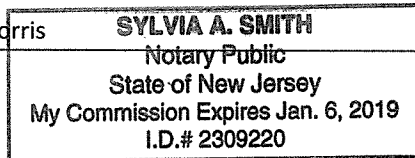
The Undersigned applicant declares under penalty of perjury that the project is installed and operating in conformance with all applicable building codes.

Applicant's Signature  Date 1/30/15

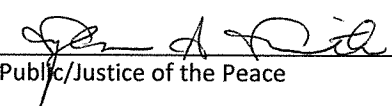
Applicant's Printed Name Linda Modica

Subscribed and sworn before me this 30 Day of January (month) in the year 2015

County of Morris



State of New Jersey


Notary Public/Justice of the Peace

My Commission Expires _____

- Complete the following checklist. If you have questions, contact barbara.bernstein@puc.nh.gov.

CHECK LIST: The following has been included to complete the application:	YES
• All contact information has been provided.	X
• A copy of the interconnection agreement. PSNH Customers should include both <i>the Interconnection Standards for Inverters Sized up to 100 KVA</i> and <i>Exhibit B – Certification of Completion for Simplified Process Interconnection</i> .	X
• Documentation of the distribution utility's approval of the installation.*	X
• If the facility is participating in another state's renewable portfolio standard (RPS) program, documentation of certification in other state's RPS.	
• A signed and notarized attestation.	X
• A GIS number obtained from the GIS Administrator.	X
• The document has been printed and notarized.	X
• The original and 2 copies are included in the packet mailed to Debra Howland, Executive Director of the PUC.	X
• An electronic version of the completed application has been sent to executive.director@puc.nh.gov .	X
*Usually included in the interconnection agreement.	

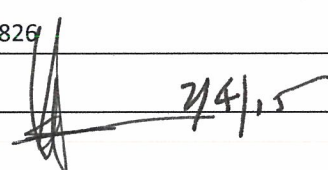
- If the application has been prepared by someone other than the applicant, complete the following. If the application was prepared by the applicant, check here ☐ and skip this section.

PREPARER'S INFORMATION

Preparer's Name Linda Modica Email address: linda@knollwoodenergy.com

Address PO Box 30 City Chester State NJ Zip 07930

Telephone 973.879.7826 Cell _____

Preparer's Signature: 

PSNH Project ID

N3125PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
INTERCONNECTION STANDARDS FOR INVERTERS
SIZED UP TO 100 KVA (Continued)

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Simplified Process Interconnection Application and Service Agreement

SESD

Contact Information:

Date Prepared: 8-10-14

Legal Name and Address of Interconnecting Customer (or, Company name, if appropriate)

Customer or Company Name (print): Joel Saren

Contact Person, if Company:

Mailing Address: 21 Kelley Brook LnCity: East HampsteadState: NHZip Code: 03826Telephone (Daytime): 603-330-3265

(Evening):

Facsimile Number:

E-Mail Address: joel@jsaren.com

Alternative Contact Information (e.g., system installation contractor or coordinating company, if appropriate):

Name: Big Sky Renewable Energy LLCMailing Address: 4 Bicentennial SqCity: ConcordState: NHZip Code: 03301Telephone (Daytime): 603.491.2702

(Evening):

Facsimile Number:

E-Mail Address: brian@bigskyre.com

Electrical Contractor Contact Information (if appropriate):

Name: A1 Electric LLCTelephone: 603.625.9599Mailing Address: 54 Healey RdCity: CandiaState: NHZip Code: 03034

Facility Information:

Address of Facility: 21 Kelley Brook LnCity: East HampsteadState: NHZip Code: 03826Electric Service Company: PSNHAccount Number: 56197611031

Meter Number:

Electricity Supply Company: PSNHAccount Number: S39397195Generator/Inverter Manufacturer: SolaredgeModel Name and Number: SE7600A-USQuantity: 1Nameplate Rating: 7600 (kW)

(kVA)

240 (AC Volts)Single ☒ or Three ☐ PhaseSystem Design Capacity: 0.7 (kVA)

(kVA)

Battery Backup: Yes ☐ No ☒

Net Metering:

If Renewably Fueled, will the account be Net Metered? Yes ☒ No ☐

Prime Mover:

Photovoltaic ☒Reciprocating Engine ☐Fuel Cell ☐Turbine ☐Other ☐

Energy Source:

Solar ☒Wind ☐Hydro ☐Diesel ☐Natural Gas ☐Fuel Oil ☐Other ☐UL 1741.1 (IEEE 1547.1) Listed? Yes ☒ No ☐External Manual Disconnect: Yes ☒ No ☐Estimated Install Date: 9-8-14Estimated In-Service Date: 9-15-14

Interconnecting Customer Signature

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all of the information provided in this application is true and I agree to the Terms and Conditions on the following page:

Customer Signature: Joel SarenTitle: OwnerDate: 8-10-14

Please attach any documentation provided by the inverter manufacturer describing the inverter's UL 1741 listing.

Approval to Install Facility (For Company use only)

Installation of the Facility is approved contingent upon the terms and conditions of this Agreement, and agreement to any system modifications, if required (Are system modifications required? Yes ☐ No ☒ To be Determined ☐)Company Signature: Michael MoffaTitle: SR. ENGINEERDate: 9-4-14

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
INTERCONNECTION STANDARDS FOR INVERTERS
SIZED UP TO 100 KVA

Terms and Conditions for Simplified Process Interconnections

PSNH waives inspection/Witness Test: Yes **X** No ☐

Date of inspection/Witness Test: _____ Witness Test Waived

1. **Construction of the Facility.** The Interconnecting Customer may proceed to construct the Facility in compliance with the specifications of its Application once the Approval to Install the Facility has been signed by the Company.
2. **Interconnection and operation.** The Interconnecting Customer may operate Facility and interconnect with the Company's system once the all of the following has occurred:
 - 2.1. **Municipal Inspection.** Upon completing construction, the Interconnecting Customer will cause the Facility to be inspected or otherwise certified by the local electrical wiring inspector with jurisdiction.
 - 2.2. **Certificate of Completion.** The Interconnecting Customer returns the Certificate of Completion to the Agreement to the Company at address noted.
 - 2.3. **Company has completed or waived the right to inspection.**
3. **Company Right of Inspection.** The Company will make every attempt within ten (10) business days after receipt of the Certificate of Completion, and upon reasonable notice and at a mutually convenient time, conduct an inspection of the Facility to ensure that all equipment has been appropriately installed and that all electrical connections have been made in accordance with the Interconnection Standard. The Company has the right to disconnect the Facility in the event of improper installation or failure to return Certificate of Completion. All projects larger than 10 kVA will be witness tested, unless waived by the Company.
4. **Safe Operations and Maintenance.** The Interconnecting Customer shall be fully responsible to operate, maintain, and repair the Facility.
5. **Disconnection.** The Company may temporarily disconnect the Facility to facilitate planned or emergency Company work.
6. **Metering and Billing.** All renewable Facilities approved under this Agreement that qualify for net metering, as approved by the Commission from time to time, and the following is necessary to implement the net metering provisions:
 - 6.1. **Interconnecting Customer Provides:** The Interconnecting Customer shall furnish and install, if not already in place, the necessary meter socket and wiring in accordance with accepted electrical standards. In some cases the Interconnecting Customer may be required to install a separate telephone line.
 - 6.2. **Company Installs Meter.** The Company will make every attempt to furnish and install a meter capable of net metering within ten (10) business days after receipt of the Certificate of Completion if inspection is waived, or within 10 business days after the inspection is completed, if such meter is not already in place.
7. **Indemnification.** Interconnecting Customer and Company shall each indemnify, defend and hold the other, its directors, officers, employees and agents (including, but not limited to, Affiliates and contractors and their employees), harmless from and against all liabilities, damages, losses, penalties, claims, demands, suits and proceedings of any nature whatsoever for personal injury (including death) or property damages to unaffiliated third parties that arise out of, or are in any manner connected with, the performance of this Agreement by that party, except to the extent that such injury or damages to unaffiliated third parties may be attributable to the negligence or willful misconduct of the party seeking indemnification.
8. **Limitation of Liability.** Each party's liability to the other party for any loss, cost, claim, injury, liability, or expense, including reasonable attorney's fees, relating to or arising from any act or omission in its performance of this Agreement, shall be limited to the amount of direct damage actually incurred. In no event shall either party be liable to the other party for any indirect, incidental, special, consequential, or punitive damages of any kind whatsoever.
9. **Termination.** This Agreement may be terminated under the following conditions:
 - 9.1. **By Mutual Agreement.** The Parties agree in writing to terminate the Agreement.
 - 9.2. **By Interconnecting Customer.** The Interconnecting Customer may terminate this Agreement by providing written notice to Company.
 - 9.3. **By Company.** The Company may terminate this Agreement (1) if the Facility fails to operate for any consecutive 12 month period, or (2) in the event that the Facility impairs or, in the good faith judgment of the Company, may imminently impair the operation of the electric distribution system or service to other customers or materially impairs the local circuit and the Interconnecting Customer does not cure the impairment.
10. **Assignment/Transfer of Ownership of the Facility.** This Agreement shall survive the transfer of ownership of the Facility to a new owner when the new owner agrees in writing to comply with the terms of this Agreement and so notifies the Company.
11. **Interconnection Standard.** These Terms and Conditions are pursuant to the Company's "Interconnection Standards for Inverters Sized Up to 100 kVA" for the Interconnection of Customer-Owned Generating Facilities, as approved by the Commission and as the same may be amended from time to time ("Interconnection Standard"). All defined terms set forth in these Terms and Conditions are as defined in the Interconnection Standard (see Company's website for the complete document).

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
INTERCONNECTION STANDARDS FOR INVERTERS
SIZED UP TO 100 KVA (Continued)

Exhibit B - Certificate of Completion for Simplified Process Interconnections

Installation Information:

☐ Check if owner-installed

Customer or Company Name (print): Joel Saren

Contact Person, if Company: _____

Mailing Address: 21 Kelley Brook Ln

City: East Hampstead State: NH Zip Code: 03826

Telephone (Daytime): 603.330.3265

(Evening): _____

Facsimile Number: _____ E-Mail Address: joel@jsaren.com

Address of Facility (if different from above): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Generation Vendor: _____

Contact Person: _____

I hereby certify that the system hardware is in compliance with Puc 900.

Vendor Signature: _____

Date: _____

Electrical Contractor's Name (if appropriate): Jordan Hill

Mailing Address: PO Box 545

City: Londonderry State: NH Zip Code: 03053

Telephone (Daytime): 603.765.7643

(Evening): _____

Facsimile Number: _____ E-Mail Address: hillelectric@comcast.net

License number: 13342M

Date of approval to install Facility granted by the Company: 8/10/14 Installation Date: _____

Application ID number: N3125

Inspection:

The system has been installed and inspected in compliance with the local Building/Electrical Code of

East Hampstead / Rockingham

(City/County)

Signed (Local Electrical Wiring Inspector, or attach signed electrical inspection): Anthony Ingle

Name (printed): ANTHONY INGLE

Date: 10/14/14

Customer Certification:

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all the information contained in this Interconnection Notice is true and correct. This system has been installed and shall be operated in compliance with applicable electrical standards. Also, the initial start up test required by Puc 905.04 has been successfully completed.

Customer Signature: Joel Saren

Date: 10-14-14